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The Damage That Can Be Done Even by Graham county lies in the southeastern portion of the Territory, It is generally understood that the having been formed from Pima and stings of some insects are essentially Apache counties by the Legislature of 1881. It has been but little fully treated. Pain alone in such cases known, owing to its isolated situawill suffice for a danger signal, and few tion, up to 1894, when the Gila when thus warned would care to Valley, Globe & Northern railroad neglect the puncture made by a hornet, was built from the Southern Paa wasp, or even a bee. The fact that other insects, like some species of fly, are capable of equal or even greater cific road, at Bowie, into the county. At this writing it has its terminus mischief, says the London Lancet, is not at Thomas, but is pushing ahead. so commonly known as it ought to be. with the rich mining district of The recent death of a woman at Kings Globe, in Gila county, for its obton from septic erysipelas thus caused may be quoted in illustration. In acjective point. This road traverses the valley of the Gila, which comcounting for such occurrences two points are specially noteworthy-nameprises the largest and best tract of y, the condition of health of the peragricultural land in the eastern on attacked and the previous habitat part of the Territory.

The area of the county approxi-mates 7000 square miles. It is all by each of these contributing factors. at an elevation of more than 2,500 feet above sea level, which secures matter how trivial or how great the efit from the burning heats experat an elevation of more than 2,500 it from the burning heats experienced in the lower valleys to the enhanced by all conditions of weak-ness or blood impurity existing in the sufferer. A mere midge or gnat bite in one person will prove almost as serious west. Its surface is diversified by rolling hills, precipitous and rugged mountain ranges, elevated plateaus and valleys, all producing nutritious grasses fairly well in seasons of average rain fall, and affording good pasturage for a reasonable amount of stock.

spark might light it up as well as a fire-brand. The habits of insects afford a clew to the seeming vagary of their oc-The agricultural development is casional and accidental virulence. The as yet confined to the rich alluvial sting of the mandibles, which perhaps soils of the river valleys, as water are buried an hour previous in some putrid sore, excreta or offal, cannot for irrigation is cheaply and abundantly diverted from the running penetrate a living tissue without leavng in it something of the same putrid streams. Here the proper system character. It is safer, therefore, for a of water appropriation has been medical practitioner to regard each and every injury of this kind, however followed. The owners of the land slight, as a possible source of illness, co-operate and build and own the and at once to contrive its relief by canals that supply their land with poulticing antiseptic compresses or like the necessary water, each farmer paying his pro rata of the expense attending the keeping up of the ditches and distribution of water.

Land and water here go togeth-Quite a number of tropical nuts have er. When one buys a farm here recently been introduced into cultiva- he gets a certain amount of interest of his natural mind as something sution in this country. Already on the in a dith that supplies his land.

The range of crops includes all hundred and fifty-thousand cocoanut kinds of small grain, corn and cottrees, forty-two thousand being in one ton, Irish and sweet potatoes, and plantation. It is believed that the first trees of this kind in that state sprouted all root crops, in fact everything from the nuts brought from Central grown in the most favored spots in America and the West Indies by the the temperate zone. The capacity gulf stream. At Key West and about of our irrigated lands for fruits has some of the old forts cocoanuts were not been tested except in a desulplanted at an early day, as certain tory way, each farmer having a ancient trees now standing bear witsmall general orchard, but results ness. In 1877 a bark freighted with point to agreat future for horticulcocoanuts was caught in a storm off the coast of Florida and beached near ture. The prune, apple, pear and Lake Worth. Several thousand of peach reach great size and perfecthe nuts were saved and planted, the tion here. The seedlings produced satisfactory growth of the seedlings seldom fail to equal in size and quality the grafted varieties. Some The word cocoanut is derived from the Portugese "coco," meaning monkey, of the semitropical fruits do well, such as figs, pomegranates, and face. The tree was known to the peotender varieties of grapes. It is doubtful if citrus fruit can be large-

ple of Ceylon as early as 160 B. C., the milk being used by them for making y cultivated. cement. The coconnut is one of the We do not claim to produce most useful of plants-root, trunk, leaf, fruits six weeks earlier than Calisap and nut are made to yield tribute fornia or any other place. But we to man. The fiber of the husk furnishes excellent yarn, and is preferred to horsehair for stuffing beds, cushions, get them in proper season, of the finest quality and so abundantly chairs and saddles. It is stronger and that they can be put in the markmore elastic than hemp. The Polynesians twist small cords of this fiber which serve in the construction of houses and canoes where Europeans would employ nails. The green nuts such business is intetligently pursued. What will perhaps most inare grated for medicinal use. Grated eocoanut forms an ingredient of the East Indian condiment curry. In the Maldive islands labor is usually paid TURNING HOUSES INTO GOLD, or the many other reasons which Descried Buildings Were Made of Ore and cause a desire to change.

There is but little chance to take Among the greatest mines of Arizons was the Vulture, now the property of H. A. W. Tabor. It is fifteen miles southwest of Wickenburg, whence the ores were taken by wagons to be milled class water rights can, as yea, be purchased at reasonable rates, as The mine produced over ten million dollars in gold, and the richest ore was compared with many sections, not Inter Ocean. found on the surface. Of course, in the combining the advantages found early days nothing save the best was here, very cheap rates.

Our highest mountain pecks touch the regions of almost persian people have a cynical flavof. Here
is a little group of them: petual snow, affording delightfui retreats from the heat of summer, farther. and perfectly accessible in a few hours drive.

We believe our county has made as good progress in all materal development as any portion of the Territory, and it is based on that best of security, agriculure and great mineral deposits of well defined and permanent character, well managed and sure producers.

oline engine, got his water out of the mine and started to "cayoting" on the To the intending settler we can lower levels. Near the end of his lease offer good schools, daily mails, In this extremity, says the Denver Republican, he bethought himself of the scores of tenantiess houses. Everyof the opportunities berein out. one was constructed of free milling chipped from the corners assayed an average of twenty dollars to the ton.

The last three months his stamp mill ran solely upon building material, tion of facts concerning Graham in two years from the alfalfa alone. county without exaggeration or

AMONG THE APACHES.

An Arizona Miner's Experience with the Indians.

Her Twin Bables from Death at the Hands of Her Super-

stitious Tribeamen.

'Superstition forms the greater part of the Indian's character," said John Elwood the other day. There are few people that are in closer touch with the Indians, and especially the Apaches, than Jack Elwood, as he is familiarly known through the Rockies Jack is a character. Early in the '60's Jack went west to California. His fortune did not come at once, and inally Jack drifted back toward the land of the rising sun. He finally landed in Arizona, and for years has been one of the best-known prospectors in that territory. He lives at Phoenix, and is getting almost too old. one would think, to keep up his efforts to uncover a fortune, but it would not be safe to tell Jack Elwood that. In the latter part of the '80s Jack had an experience while crossing the plains that led to his close relations with the Apaches, and since then he has been one of the few who have the friendship and confidence of this band of

"'How did I get my great stand-in with the Apaches?" Well, I'll tell you, I hardly know," continued Elwood. "I sort of grew into their confidence, and have shared it more or less since about 1886. 'Long in January of that

year I had an occasion to get pretty in-timately acquainted with the Apaches. "In Phoenix in a back street stands little adobe house. It is off by itself and its occupants have no communion with any of their neighbors. It is the home of an Indian by the name of Melo, who, with his wife and two chil-They, like all Indians, are clannish They do not want to associate with the outside world and have little or nothing to do with their own people. I am bout the only one who ever gets inside the threshold of that little adobe cottage. From its doorway to the east can be seen in the distance 'Four Peaks,' with their summits covered with snow. Between Phoenix and

these mountains is a broad desert. "Early in January, 1886, I was cross ing that desert with a team. It is quite a trip, and the valley is quite warm even in January. It is necessary to carry water across this plain, and I had a goodly supply in a barrel on the wagon. Everything was going along in good shape until nearly noon, when an accident resulted in the loss of every drop of water we had. It was impossible to proceed far without water, and yet to remain there would be equally as serious. We did our best. 'Long it the evening I was picked up by a band of Apaches in an almost exhausted condition. They gave me water, and one young couple who seemed to be supe rior to the others in intelligence fed me. I, however, did not have my full senses. The terrible strain on a dry alkali plain without water and in a burning sun was enough to turn any-

one's brain, I want to tell you. "Indians are superstitious, illogical and childish to a degree of which no civilized man has any conception. This was to my advantage. They thought me insane, and as they regard one out pernatural and to be revered they I did not trust the Indians, and hence when I began to recover my mental dence of this fact and wandered among them in a solitary and speechless man ner. I was shamming to get away all

"A few days after my arrival at camp

twin boys were born to the young wife of the Indian who had fed me and cared for me. This is not any more uncommon among the Indians than elsewhere, and, although the red man is passionately fond of children, yet the appearance of twins and a crazy man (as they thought me) forebode them evil, and the medicine man said that Mrs. Melo was a witch, and that she and her infants must be sacrificed. Melo pleaded for his wife, without avail. She did not attempt to escape. I was not yet able to understand the Indian language, and it was some time before I was aware of what troubled my young friends. Already the dance had commenced, and only a few hours remained before the mother and her children would be burned. I made my escape, and succeeded in reaching the agency. Here, with much trouble, I secured a detachment of cavalry, and ets in as good condition and as led them back to the Indian camp. I cheaply and profitably perhaps as had no hope of being in time; but, in any portion of the Union; when fortunately, the chief had eaten something that did not agree with him, and the sacrifice was postponed a few hours. When we rode up the noise of the beatterest our readers outside of the ing of tom-toms and the singing of county will be the opportunities dancers drowned out the sound of our here afforded for those desiring approach. In the distance we could new homes, actuated by climatic see the young wife and her two children being driven into her shack, and the warriors, with burning firebrands, gradually closing in to ignite the fun-There is but little chance to take eral pile. At this moment we were dis-land under the Homestead or other covered, and the dance was brought acts, where water for irrigation is to a standstill. The presence of the casily obtainable, but the price of troopers was sufficient. I persuaded the best improved lands with first Melo and his wife to return to Phoenix with me. They have lived there since, and aided me in gaining knowledge of the customs of the Apaches."—Chicago

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